IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re: Application No. 10/694,960 Confirmation No. 4443 Filed: October 28, 2003 Applicants: Isabelle LAYE et al. This Amendment was electronically filed Title: PROCESS CHEESE CONTAINING on December 2, 2008 using EFS-Web. INCREASED LEVELS OF WHEY PROTFIN Art Unit: 1794 Examiner: Leslie A. WONG Attorney Docket: 1410/79708 Customer No.: 22242

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AMENDMENT

Sir

Applicants hereby petition under 37 CFR \S 1.136(a) for a three-month extension of time in the above-identified application, up to and including December 2, 2008, to make this reply timely.

In response to the Office Action mailed June 2, 2008 as entered in the above-captioned matter, Applicants submit the following:

 $\label{listing of the Claims} \mbox{ are reflected in the listing of claims which begin on page 2 of this paper. }$

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.